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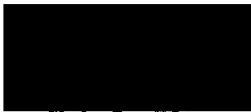
1. This date I had a discussion with Dr. Tietgen, Chief of the CIA Medical Staff. The discussion concerned the relationship of the Medical Staff to the Training Division principally as it relates to instruction in subjects pertaining to medication, hospitalization and evacuation. It appears to me with the development of our training program that we should have a doctor attached to the Training Division from the Medical Staff to conduct the necessary research, to provide instruction and possibly to provide supervision to the overall health and sanitation of personnel in training areas.

2. Before the requirement for the medical officer as noted above can be finalized, it is believed advisable that we determine in more specific terms the amount of research and instruction to be carried out by such a person. To that end would you submit by 19 October 1950 a memorandum indicating:

a. The number of hours of instruction to be provided in your various courses. You should further indicate the general topics of instruction.

b. A list of medical subjects which require research in order to establish doctrine and techniques as they relate to the activities of OSO and OPC for inclusion in the training program.

3. When the overall TRD requirement has been determined, a meeting will be arranged with the Medical Staff to determine the exact procedures in achieving these objectives. It may prove advisable to have a representative from each of the branches of TRD present at these discussions to ensure that all of the various aspects have been given proper consideration. When these meetings have been arranged, you will be given appropriate notification.


Chief, TRD

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